

## CREDITABLE WORK OF PETERSBURGER

Portrait Medallion Executed  
by Mr. Louis Paulero, of  
Mechanics' Institute

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)  
PETERSBURG, VA., May 9.—The Peters-  
burg Orpheus Quartette, assisted by Miss  
Frances Leigh Starr, of this city, will  
give an entertainment at the Academy of  
Music next Friday evening. The quartette  
is composed of Prof. Stratton Watson, first  
tenor; F. Gerald Straton, second tenor;  
Hugh R. Smith, Jr., baritone; E. W.  
Butcher, Jr., bass.

The quartette is very popular in this  
city and has with much success given en-  
tertainments in other cities. Miss Starr  
as an elocutionist is quite a favorite in  
Petersburg.

The portrait medallion in the window  
of Buchanan's jewelry store is a fine  
example of sculpture in low relief and  
has been admired as an artistic piece of  
work. The medallion is of high grade  
Italian marble and shows the profile of  
Mme. Helene Noldi, prima donna of the  
Gordon-Shay Opera Company, and was  
executed by Mr. Louis Paulero, a well-  
known young man of this city, who bids  
fair to be a sculptor of note. Although he  
has with creditable execution transferred  
to the marble a very good likeness, Mr.  
Paulero executed this work at the Me-  
chanics' Institute, of Richmond, where he  
is now studying. He has already made  
several statues of Confederate soldiers  
at parade rest, which have been erected  
in this State.

The carnival given in this city this  
week by the Hatch-Adams Carnival Com-  
pany under the auspices of the Uniform  
Rank, Knights of Pythias, closed a very  
successful week to-night. The amount re-  
ceived by the Pythians from the shows  
will be about \$300.

Mr. T. Jefferson Clarke, the veteran  
printer of this city for several years, the  
publisher of the "Commercial Record," is  
unable to continue his work on ac-  
count of infirmity of age and is now  
offering his plant for sale.

The Sunday-School Association of  
Petersburg, Erieck and Mattona will  
meet at Mattona Baptist Church to-mor-  
row afternoon.

Rev. Mr. Beveridge, of Harrisburg, Pa.,  
will administer the ordinance of baptism  
in the canal Mattona to-morrow after-  
noon at half-past 3 o'clock to those  
who recently connected themselves with  
the Believers' Church at that place.

Mr. Beveridge is an able evangelist and  
recently conducted a very successful re-  
vival at Mattona.

Judge Drawry Hinton, who has been ill  
in this city, is now greatly improved and  
was out yesterday.

John Bailey, the negro charged with  
the attempted criminal assault on Mrs. Coker,  
in Sussex county a few months ago, was  
tried for his life in Sussex county yester-  
day. The evidence did not justify death  
sentence and he was given eighteen years  
in the penitentiary.

Samuel Gaylor, a young white man from  
Richmond, was before the Mayor this  
morning, charged with taking \$150 from  
the money drawer in the store of a col-  
ored man on Gill Street, in this city.

He was sent to jail for sixty days. The  
original sentence was thirty days and  
thirty (3) more were added because he  
was seen shaking his fist at the little  
girl, who testified against him.

### ST. JOSEPH'S SOCIETY

Its Fiftieth Anniversary is Fittingly Cel-  
ebrated.

The fiftieth anniversary of St. Joseph's  
Society was fittingly celebrated in St.  
Mary's School Hall last Wednesday  
night. The Sunday previous all the mem-  
bers in a body attended the high mass  
at 7 o'clock, which was sung by the pas-  
tor, Rev. William Mayer, O. S. B., who  
addressed the society in words of praise  
and encouragement. It was a most edify-  
ing spectacle to see the men, young and  
old, receive holy communion, thereby pro-  
fessing their loyalty to their church.

The social feature of the celebration  
culminated in a banquet tendered the  
members and wives or lady friends. Fully  
two hundred people congregated in the  
spacious school hall, where good humor  
reigned supreme. After the banquet the  
secretary, Mr. Bern Remke, read the follow-  
ing interesting report:

St. Joseph's Catholic German Benevo-  
lent Society, whose fiftieth anniversary we  
to-day celebrate, was organized in the  
April of 1858, on the Feast of the Patron-  
age of St. Joseph, by the Rev. Joseph  
Polk, S. J., who was elected first pres-  
ident of the society, he being then pastor  
of St. Mary's Church. The society, like  
everything else, was small in the be-  
ginning, consisting of but sixteen mem-  
bers. St. Mary's congregation was then  
in its infancy. The society, like a mighty  
tree, grew from a tender plant, and to-  
day there are over a hundred active  
members. The sole survivor of the  
original sixteen members, and who is  
still a faithful member of our society, is  
Mr. Gerard Ross.

The society has done an amount of good  
in the course of fifty years, far aside  
from supporting sick members, widows  
and orphans, and frequently gave handsome  
donations to the church and charitable  
purposes. St. Joseph's altar in St. Mary's  
Church, as also candelabra and carpets  
were donated by the society. The main  
object of the organization being the sup-  
port of sick members, widows and or-  
phans, it was principally there where the  
society showed its greatest efficiency.

During the first twenty-five years of  
its existence, \$2,561 was paid sick mem-  
bers; to the widows of children, \$1,000;  
to deceased members, the sum of \$1,000  
was paid; \$985.50 was given to the hus-  
bands of twenty-two deceased wives. In  
short, the St. Joseph's Catholic German  
Benevolent Society, of Richmond, Va.,  
has since its inception, expended in the  
books the names of 274 members, seventy  
of which have died during the course of  
fifty years. To the widows or children of  
these seventy deceased members, the sum  
of \$5,000 was paid, and to the thirty-  
two deceased wives of members, \$1,250.

The sum of \$3,083 was paid to sick mem-  
bers. In summing up these expenditures,  
we find a grand total of \$13,856.50 paid  
during the fifty years either to sick mem-  
bers, or in case of the death of a wife,  
to the surviving husband or children, to  
the church or towards charitable purposes.

From above statement it is easily seen  
how much may be accomplished with a  
small monthly contribution of twenty-  
five cents. It provides peace and harmony  
reign in the society, accompanied by the  
blessing of God.

The report of the secretary was re-  
ceived amid thundering applause. It was  
quite a revelation to the invited guests.  
The society always worked in such quiet  
manner, and extended charity with such  
little noise, that the deeds of its mem-  
bers were not generally known. After the  
long sustained applause, had somewhat  
subsided, Rev. Father William, in a few  
well chosen remarks, congratulated the  
society, and expressed the hopes that it

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God, and His church, and for the good  
of suffering humanity.

### RIO GRANDE

A Delightful Drama to Be Presented by  
St. Mary's Club.

One of the most interesting events in  
amateur theatricals for the month of  
May will be the presentation of Mr. Charles  
Townsend's original drama in three acts,  
"Rio Grande," by the talented St. Mary's  
Dramatic Club, assisted by some of Rich-  
mond's best known performers.

This company is under the skillful di-  
rection of the Rev. Father Edwards, as-  
sistant pastor of St. Mary's German Cath-  
olic Church, of this city, whose success  
with former entertainments has won for  
him quite an enviable reputation as a di-  
rector.

"Rio Grande" is a play of western army  
life, and is a little melodramatic at times.  
It is entirely domestic in treatment, and  
the exciting events which follow in rapid  
succession are rather effects from self-  
evident causes. The characters are well  
diversified, the action is brisk and the  
interest is sustained until the last moment.

Among those who are to take part are:  
Mr. Lon Wilson, Richmond's popular en-  
tertainer; Mr. Thomas J. Farley, late of  
Charles and Parley's Merry-makers,  
whose ability as an actor has been com-  
mended by well known critics of this city;  
Mr. Edward Hulcher, Mr. William Nolte,  
Mr. Frank Gehring, Mr. Gebhard Helling,  
Mr. Thomas Hulcher, and Miss Ite  
James, Miss Theresa Gehring, Miss La-  
belle Gutter, and Miss Annie Morris.

Several rehearsals have been held and  
the progress of each assures a brilliant  
success from every point of view.

It is the intention of Father Edwards to  
make this entertainment surpass all pre-  
vious efforts by this club, or any pre-  
sented at St. Mary's Hall. New scenery  
will be used in this production, and the  
costumes and settings will be very at-  
tractive. The date of the performance  
will be about May 20th, and it will be  
given for the benefit of St. Mary's  
Church.

### CHILDREN'S HOME SOCIETY

The Second Annual Meeting to Be Held  
Tuesday Night.

The second annual meeting of the Child-  
ren's Home Society of Virginia will be  
held in the parlors of the Y. M. C. A.  
in Richmond Tuesday night, May 19th,  
at 8 o'clock.

The object of such meeting is to re-  
ceive reports, elect a board of directors  
for the ensuing year and to transact any  
other business that may come before the  
meeting.

The society has had a very prosperous  
year; has come to the rescue of many  
lost and abandoned children, and has  
reports full of interest to make.

All interested in this great and good  
work are cordially invited to be present.

Order of the Eastern Star.

The regular monthly meeting of Ruth  
Chapter, No. 8, O. E. S., will be held at  
the Masonic Temple, fourth floor, corner  
Broad and Adams Streets, Monday eve-  
ning, May 11th, 1908, at 8 o'clock.

A suitable prize will be given to the  
one bringing in the largest number of  
members during the year exceeding ten  
(10).

A full attendance of the members is  
desired, and all the officers are urged to  
be on hand promptly, and candidates  
are requested to be present not later  
than 8:30 P. M.

### REPORT ON COPPER PROPERTY.

Read the article on advance in Copper  
Stocks of the La Florida Gold and Cop-  
per Company, in another column of this  
paper.

## CARNIVAL ENDS AT RALEIGH

A Week of Merry-Making Is  
Closed with the Din of  
Horns and Confetti.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)  
RALEIGH, N. C., May 9.—The Knights  
of Pythias street fair and merchants  
carnival in progress here all the week  
closed most auspiciously to-night, the re-  
sults having been so far as can be as-  
certained at this time very satisfactory,  
indeed.

The people have apparently greatly en-  
joyed the carnival, and the financial re-  
sults for the Knights and the Carnival  
Company have been satisfactory. The mer-  
riment for the last day of the carnival  
began at 10 o'clock this morning, and  
the din and crush of the people was im-  
mense, and the tooting of horns, the  
screams of squeakers, and all manner of  
devices for making a fuss were deafening,  
while the war of confetti was waged  
without restraint.

The carnival went out in a perfect din  
of merry-making.

Dr. John H. Musser, professor of clin-  
ical medicine, gave a special clinic in Rex  
Hospital to-day before the students of  
the State University medical department  
here. Many of the physicians of the city  
also attended.

President James A. Bryan, of the At-  
lantic and North Carolina Railroad,  
(owned by the State) spent to-day in the  
city. He says Atlantic Hotel at Morehead,  
run by the railroad company, is ready for  
the opening, and is in the most thorough  
order it has been for years. They expect  
the largest crowds in the history of the  
resort this summer.

The annual debate of the Pullen Lit-  
erary Society of A. and M. College was  
held last night, the question being: "Re-  
solved, that the passage by our national  
Congress of a compulsory arbitration act  
is necessary for our industrial advance-  
ment."

Judge R. M. Douglas, Dr. W. I.  
Royster and Mr. Alf A. Thompson were  
the judges; and after consultation they  
awarded the medal for the best argu-  
ment to Mr. A. M. Dixon of the affirma-  
tive side of the question. The medal was  
delivered in a speech by Mr. Thompson.

The debates for the affirmative were John  
Howard and A. M. Dixon, and for the  
negative William Chambers and J. H.  
Squires. The speeches gave evidence of  
careful study and learning.

Mr. Will Mangum, of Durham, who  
was cut in an affray here early in the  
week, is still hovering between life and  
death at Rex Hospital. There is hope  
for his recovery, but the physicians re-  
gard the chances for recovery decidedly  
against him.

The annual oration at the A. and M.  
College commencement this year will  
be delivered by Mr. Walter H. Page, of  
New York, editor of World's Work. The  
annual sermon will be preached by Rev.  
Joseph Remke, of Norfolk, a noted Pres-  
byterian divine.

The Hamlet Ice Company filed notice  
with the Secretary of State to-day of  
the increase of capital stock from \$10,000  
to \$25,000. Charles E. Johnson, of Raleigh,  
is president, and the principal office of  
the company is here, although the ice  
plant is in Hamlet.

The Neuse Loan and Trust Company of  
Smithfield was chartered to-day with  
\$10,000 capital. T. S. Ragsdale, J. O. El-  
lington and N. M. Lawrence, being the  
incorporators.

### CHIEF EXONERATED

Charges Brought Against Greensboro  
Official Entirely Unfounded.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)  
GREENSBORO, N. C., May 9.—The  
first regular meeting of the new Board of  
Aldermen last night developed something  
of a sensation in the shape of a written  
communication from Policeman George  
Crutchfield, a candidate for chief of po-  
lice, against Chief of Police W. A. Scott,  
charging him with acts and conduct un-  
fitting him for the position. The board  
went into executive session, and after a  
thorough investigation, completely ex-  
onerated Chief Scott of any misconduct  
or dereliction of duty. Each of the six  
charges was taken up separately, and a  
finding in Mr. Scott's favor entered on  
the record. Mr. Scott was then re-  
elected chief of police for another term.

Mr. Crutchfield, who aspired to this po-  
sition, has announced his retirement from  
the police force, stating that he will not  
be a candidate before the board to-night.  
While the election is to be had for police  
officers. Besides the chief of police, the  
board last night re-elected the follow-  
ing city officers: John S. Michaux, clerk;  
A. M. Seales, city attorney; F. N. Taylor,  
chief of fire department; G. S. Sergeant  
and J. C. Murchison, members of the  
board of education. To-night the board  
will hold an adjourned meeting to elect  
city tax collector, policemen and other  
officers.

Twenty-five criminals were sentenced  
at this week's term of the Superior Court,  
just ended, to work on the public roads  
for terms ranging from ten years to six  
months.

The county road superintendent secured  
the longest term good roads workman  
yesterday ever known in his experience.  
John Ellison, colored, plead guilty to  
horse stealing and attempted burglary.  
Upon inquiry by Judge Allen, Solicitor  
Brooks assured him that Guilford county  
had plenty of roads to repair, and a  
splendid guard, whereupon Ellison was  
sentenced to ten years' work on the same.

### LUMBER MILL SOLD

Virginia Capitalists Purchase Properties  
Near Wilmington, N. C.

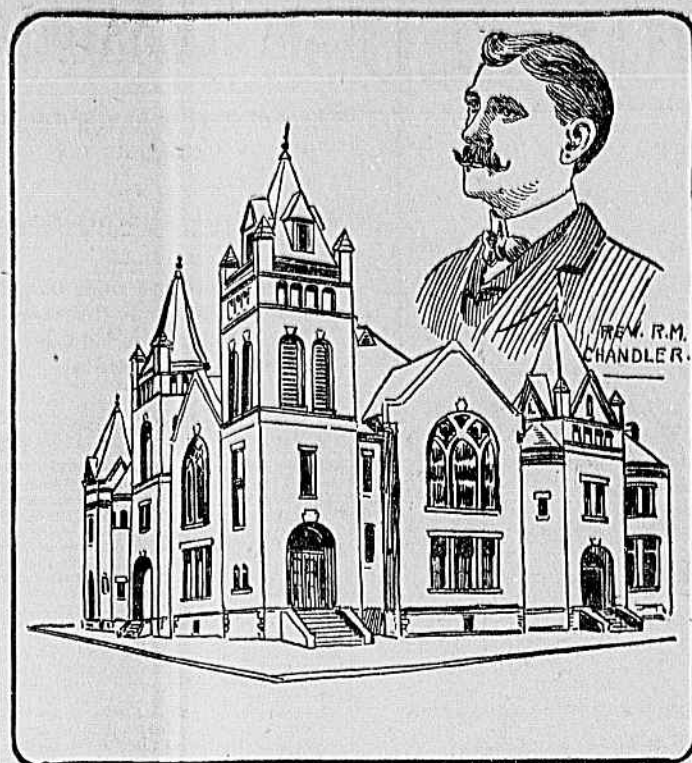
(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)  
WILMINGTON, N. C., May 9.—The ex-  
tensive plant of the Bridgers-McKethan  
Lumber Company, at Lumber, S. C., has  
been sold to Mr. Ernest Williams, of  
Lynchburg, Va., a well known lumber  
merchant, wealthy and experienced mill  
man, who will continue the business un-  
der the old name. The sale was made  
recently by Mrs. Preston L. Bridgers,  
whose deceased husband was president  
and principal owner. The financial con-  
sideration has not been given out, but  
it is understood a very handsome sum  
was paid for the property. It is a thor-  
oughly modern plant, splendidly equip-  
ped, and Mr. McKethan, a part owner of  
the mill before it was sold, will be general  
manager and vice-president. Mr. Wil-  
liams, of Lynchburg, is the president.

### GRAVES DECORATED

Memorial Day Is Fittingly Observed in  
Greensboro.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)  
GREENSBORO, N. C., May 9.—Memorial  
day ceremonies here to-day, under the  
auspices of Guilford Chapter, U. D. C.,  
were unusually impressive. There was a  
large attendance of old veterans and at  
the Opera House an immense audience  
gathered to take part in the programme  
and hear the address of General Julian  
Carr, President of the Confederacy, who  
City Band rendered martial music and  
there were songs by a quartette of male  
voices. Then came a drill and march on  
the stage by fifty uniformed granddaughters  
of the Confederacy, who, literally,  
took the old vets off their feet by their  
excellent military evolutions. When they  
disappeared, and the band struck up  
Dixie, the old rebel yell spontaneously  
broke out from a thousand throats and  
under such an inspiring incident, Colonel

## CENTRAL METHODIST CHURCH TO BE DEDICATED NEXT SUNDAY



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### THOMAS R. PRICE.

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"Lying dead among thy books,  
The peace of God in all thy looks."

Thus New England's sorrowing son  
Sung in agony of one

Great in deed and fame as he  
Lying dead across the sea.

So to-day Virginia weeps  
For her gifted son, who sleeps

Among his books; mute the tongue  
On which youth have raptured hung.

Him Virginia mourns to-day  
In his tomb so far away;

Him, the man so great and real,  
Living out his high ideal;

Him the soldier in his tomb,  
Who followed Stuart's waving plume;

Him, the scholar who combined  
The English soul and Grecian mind.

"Dead he lies among his books,  
The peace of God in all his looks."

Though his mortal fabric must  
Fall and crumble into dust,

Yet his spirit dominates  
Spirits of our mighty states;

Scholars, poets, men of law,  
Breathe his name with pious awe;

Thanking God that they have caught  
The inspiration of his thought;

Praising God that they have heard  
The golden music of his word.

Soldier, scholar, teacher, MAN!  
We follow Thee as best we can.

—J. L. HALL.

James T. Moorehead, master of cere-  
monies, presented General Julian S. Carr.  
Gen. Carr's speech was a most valu-  
able historical presentation of the part  
played by Guilford county soldiers in the  
Confederacy, with interesting data con-  
cerning the men and officers and the ser-  
vice of each of the sixteen Guilford com-  
panies which went to the front. He said  
that although Guilford had a consid-  
erable population of non-combatant Quakers, yet  
including members of the home  
guard.

By unanimous resolution, adopted at  
the conclusion of the eloquent and valu-  
able address, it will be published in pain-  
able form and will prove of great his-  
torical value and interest. The procession  
next marched to Green Hill Cemetery,  
where the soldiers' graves were properly  
decorated and at the Courthouse square a  
sumptuous dinner was served by the  
Daughters of the Confederacy.

### ATTEMPTED SUICIDE

Ex-Policeman of Charlotte Had Su-  
ficed from Melancholia.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)  
CHARLOTTE, N. C., May 9.—Mr. J.  
Frank Weddington, for many years a  
member of the police force of the city  
of Charlotte, tried to end his life last  
night at his home, No. 311 Liberty Street,  
by taking an overdose of some kind of  
drug.

Mr. Weddington has been in poor health  
for some time. His physical condition,  
coupled with the fact that he recently  
lost his position on the police force, pro-  
duced melancholy from which he has been  
suffering for some time. During the  
yesterday Mr. Weddington talked with  
the members of his family. While he

seemed low spirited, it did not appear that  
he intended any rash act. He retired  
last night and in a short while Mrs. Wed-  
dington found something was wrong. Be-  
lieving a neighbor, and in a short while  
a physician was summoned.

Heroic efforts were resorted to, and  
after hours of hard work the poison was  
extracted and the man's life was saved.

### ANOTHER PAPER

Charlotte to Have Two Mornings as Well  
as Afternoon Newspapers.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)  
CHARLOTTE, N. C., May 9.—There  
have been some important developments  
in newspaper circles to-day. On the heels  
of the announcement by the Observer  
Company that it proposes starting an af-  
ternoon paper comes the report that an-  
other morning daily is to be established.

Your correspondent learns from a  
thoroughly reliable source that a com-  
pany composed of the leading business  
men of the city is proposed, and if the  
plans on foot are carried out, a morning  
paper with ample capital will be started  
in this city at once. Several gentlemen  
interested stated to-day that there had  
long been felt a need for another morning  
daily in this city, and this section of  
North Carolina and that they had no  
doubt that such a paper properly con-  
ducted would receive warm support in  
Charlotte and this section of the State.

A meeting of prominent business men  
was held this morning and the matter  
was discussed at length. It was the  
unanimous opinion of those present that  
the Charlotte should and must have another  
paper. Another meeting of those inter-  
ested will be held in a few days, and at  
that time it is expected that an organiza-

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## PRIZE WINNERS In The Times-Dispatch Want Column CARTOON CONTEST.

"Murder will out" was the proverb  
used in last Sunday Times-Dispatch Want  
Column Proverb Contest, and the seven  
prizes were awarded as follows:

First prize, \$2.00 order, Y. J. D., city,  
general delivery.  
Second prize, \$1.00 order, R. Dabney,  
107 North Eighteenth Street.  
Third prize, 50c. order, Miss Pierce, 712  
North Twenty-fifth Street, city.  
Fourth prize, 50c. order, A. T., car-  
rier at.  
Fifth prize, 50c. order, M. W., general  
delivery.  
Sixth prize, 50c. order, H. C. Saunders,  
1223 Dance Street, city.  
Seventh prize, 50c. order, T. F. Heath,  
Scottsville, Va.

Correct answers were also received from  
the following named contestants:

RICHMOND, VA.  
Miss N. L. Brown, Hugh Christian,  
John Dearhart, J. D. J.  
Clifton Dearhart, R. Eanes,  
W. F. Daniel, M. W.  
L. C. Jeffress, M. W.  
J. B. Braye, H. C. Tabb,  
Miss Nora Thell, Dora Fugh,  
Miss M. W. Turner, Mr. Dudley Brown,  
D. R. Johnston, Martha Curtis,  
M. G. Terrell, Thomas Starke,  
Mrs. J. W. Turner, P. B. Osborne,  
Miss J. Shugnessy, Emily Hopkins,  
James Fozzy, Miss A. L. Davis,  
Edna V. Hoenberg, Mrs. Starke,  
Grace Fozzy, J. E. Rabineau,  
Emma Fozzy, J. E. Rabineau,  
Eddie Roscher, Mrs. V. A. Christian,  
Fred. W. Chalkey, Miss Sarah Davis,  
Mrs. Koenig, John McManus,  
Miss Sadie Kealer, Miss H. H. Davis,  
J. S. Curtis, B. H. Turner,  
M. V. Curtis, J. H. Spicer,  
Mrs. P. Kesler, Mrs. M. J. Turner,  
H. D. Curtis, Mrs. J. H. Spicer,  
Miss Sutor, L. K. Waggoner,  
Miss L. Davenport, Miss H. L. Daniel,  
R. W. Booker, Miss C. Hayes,  
J. Thalhimer, John McManus,  
Griffin Sutton, J. W. Pemberton,  
Robert Sutton, Mary L. Pugh,  
TAYLORSVILLE, VA.  
Mrs. J. W. Dossell.  
WAVELLY, VA.  
Ethel M. Daniel, W. F. Daniel.  
OTTEN, VA.  
Joseph Michaux.  
SCOTTSVILLE, VA.  
Mrs. C. F. Harris, Miss H. H. Blair,  
Irene Briggs, Dr. J. P. Blair,  
Anna Heath, M. P. Davis,  
P. E. J., A. W. Jones,  
Mary A. Pitts, Box 3, B. H. D.,  
Miss Fannie Briggs, W. G. Staples,  
Jessie L. Day, Miss Sallie Cooke,  
Marion Pitts, G. W. Thomas,  
R. S. Pitts, Mrs. H. M. Jameson,  
Clara L. Pitts, H. A. Foland,  
Francis Harvie, Miss Nora Cooke.  
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Mary Calwell, Mrs. L. Martin,  
Mrs. B. Martin, Nannie Martin,  
R. A. Jr., Miss J. B. Jones,  
Mrs. M. L. Weaver.

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Clergymen Protest in Elizabeth City  
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(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)  
NEWPORT NEWS, VA., May 9.—Judge  
Montague, in the Elizabeth City County  
Court, to-day decided the Wythe District  
trial for the past five days in favor of  
the applicants. Rev. J. Sydney Peters and  
Rev. A. J. Rentforth were parties